They Were a Notable Exception to the Rule in Yesterday's Market.

STRONG PRESSURE TO SELL

There Was a Resistance All Along the Line Warranted by Developments.

LONDON PRICES BELOW OURS.

War News There Tended to Depress Stocks-New York Central, of All Vanderbilt's Stocks, Held Its Own.

Wall Street, Wednesday, March 17. It would be impossible to characterize to-day's market. The majority of stocks showed net declines during the day, and there was unquestionably a selling pres-sure in the stocks recording losses, but the market was weak and firm alternately throughout the day. Under the condition favoring lower prices the market may be said to have shown a resistance to the endency which developments warranted. The bellicose turn abroad depressed all foreign markets, and London cables were 1/2 to 3/4 per cent below our prices, until the close of the London market. This perultted arbitrage houses freely to sell here and buy in London at a profit. The London olling was not nearly so large as might ave been expected with so wide a margin stween New York and London prices, but hat it was effective was disclosed by the act that New York Central was the only Vanderblit stock that did not score a net ecline for the day. The other Vanderbilt stocks were remarkably strong, Omaha noking a net gain of 1%; Canada Southper cent. Omaha's movement was almost lazzling in the face of the unfavorable oreign influences. After an early locs of per cent, the stock jumped 34, and then acted only 1/2 per cent. At the high ices some large brocks of the stock came n the market, portending the early cul-mination of the bull deal in this stock. he stock has risen 18 per cent since the claration of the 2 per cent dividend, is hly a 2 per cent stock, and is deemed to 52 Atchison add. 48...... selling now higher theu its intrinsic alue. The talk about Omaha as a persnent 4 per cent stock is moonshine. ld not earn 4 per cent in its last fiscal ar, and the earnings this year, if the orthwest is a criterion, must have been uch smaller than during the preceding ar. Much of the rubbish circulating about Wall Street with regard to Omaha is designed to catch unwary investors and speculators who are prone to swallow roseate out false rumors about a stock that has sliown such enormous strength as the stock in question. The Gould stocks also displayed great strength to-day, and refused to participate in the general decime. The firmness of Sugar was also notable in view of the eport of the Anti-Trust bills of the Lexow committee. The proposed legislation appeared to affect Tobacco more than any other trust stock, as the methods of this company lay it open to legal attack more nors that the next dividend might be on lower basis. The stock broke 2% per The Granger stocks were inclined to beavess on account of reported damage to Winter wheat crop A short Winter at crop in 1897, following two short 2 Manhagtan Raily in the preceding years, would be discussed but the dam-

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The sales of United States bonds we \$8,000 4s r. of 1907 at 111% and \$2,000 4s c. of 1925 at 1233.

In bank stocks, 5 shares of the American Exchange Bank were sold at 170.

The Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad reports gross earnings for February of \$1,089,272, a decrease of \$107, 728 as compared with the same mouth of last year, and net \$209,472, a decrease of \$15,137 and deficit \$31,006, a decrease of \$15,28. For the two months ending February 28, the gross earnings were \$2,108,423, a decrease of \$305,347 as compared with the corresponding period of last year, and net \$506,288, a decrease of \$19,886 and deficit \$39,554, an increase of \$13,857.

The report of the Texas & Pacific Rallway Company for the fiscal year ended

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0	three months' bills, 17-16@1½ per cent. Parls advices quote 3 per cent rentes at 102 francs 17½ centimes. Exchange on London, 25 francs 16½ centimes.	MJ
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-	On Change, Wednesday, March 17. Following are to-day's cash prices for staple commercial products:	3
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Week of March, compared with the same period of last year:

Rio Grande Western...... \$28,300 Dec. \$400

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The Cotton Market. The cotton market opened steady, with ices 3 to 5 points lower in response to a decline of 21/2 to 31/2 points in Liverpool. Trading during the forenoon was small, with local operators and New Orleans houses the principal buyers. Selling was chiefly for foreign account. Late cables

The Coffee Market.

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MINING SHARES ADVANCE. 52.37, spoke Norwegian bark howing T. C. W The Market Steady, and Prices Higher for 5

the General List. The mining market was steady yesterday, and hig with prices generally higher. Golden San Sid Juan and Russell were the most active S stocks on the list, practically monopolizing the trading. Of the former stock 10,000 shares were dealt in, the price closing % higher, at 21. Russell was dealt in to the 60 extent of 5,000 shares, closing 1/2 above the opening, at 31.

The Isabella Mine, of Cripple Creek, has declared a quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent. The property is earning above 3 The sales, with quotations, are as fol-

Fotal shares sold, 16,900.

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